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PROVISION OF UNSCR 1803 TO JORDAN

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(C) On April 7, Poloff delivered reftel demarche and non-paper outlining the U.S. position on UNSCR 1803 to Khaled Takhayneh, head of the Foreign Ministry's Disarmament Section. Takhayneh noted that Jordan was not a member of the Nuclear Supplier Group and was not a proliferation risk, as it had no potential dual-use items that might be transferred to Iran. He cited Jordan's shared concern about the negative role Iran played in the region, and took note of the resolution and the importance the United States places on implementing UNSCR 1803.